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Applicants : Yoshimitsu Arai, et al. **Confirmation No. 2473**  
Serial No. : 10/617,272 Art Unit: 3618  
Filed : July 10, 2003 Examiner: Jeffrey J. Restifo  
For: : A POWER TRANSMITTING DEVICE AND THE VEHICLE  
THEREOF

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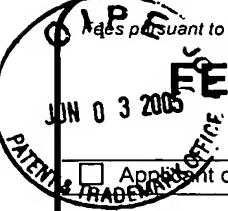
**AMENDMENT**

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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Filing Date July 10, 2003	
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<u>Application Type</u>	<u>FILING FEES</u>		<u>SEARCH FEES</u>		<u>EXAMINATION FEES</u>		
	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES****Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

<u>Total Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	
				<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>
15	-20 or =	0	<u>Fee (\$)</u> = \$0.00	50	25
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.					

<u>Indep. Claims</u>	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Multiple Dependent Claims</u>	
				<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
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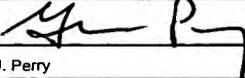
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